

AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL LETTER

Docket No.:
671.1.002 CIP-3

Serial No.: 671.1.002 CIP-3	Filing Date: August 30, 1999	Examiner: R. Popovics	Group Art Unit: 1723
Invention Title: <div style="text-align: center; font-weight: bold;">METHOD FOR THE PURIFICATION AND RECOVERY OF WASTE GELATIN</div>			

TO THE COMMISSIONER OF PATENTS AND TRADEMARKS

Transmitted herewith is an Amendment in the above-identified Application.


- ☒ Small Entity status of this Application has been established under 37 CFR 1.27 by a Verified Statement previously submitted.
- ☐ A Verified Statement to establish Small Entity status under 37 CFR is enclosed.
- ☒ No additional fee is required.

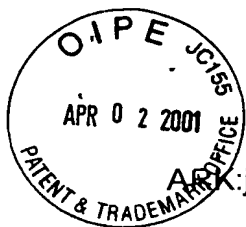
CLAIMS AS AMENDED

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	CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT		HIGHEST NUMBER PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	PRESENT NUMBER EXTRA	RATE	FEE
TOTAL CLAIMS	29	MINUS	44	0	X \$18.00	\$ 0.00
INDEPENDENT CLAIMS	2	MINUS	3	0	X \$80.00	\$ 0.00
MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM ADDED					X \$270	\$ 0.00
					TOTAL	\$ 0.00
If applicant is a small entity under 37 CFR 1.9 and 1.27, then divide total fee by 2, and enter amount here.					SMALL ENTITY TOTAL	\$ 0.00

- ☐ Please charge Deposit Account Number 23-0510 in the amount of \$ 0.00. A duplicate copy is enclosed.
- ☐ A check in the amount of \$ 0.00 to cover the filing fee is enclosed.
- ☒ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required in connection with this matter, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 23-0510.

Date MARCH 27, 2001


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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

Applicant : William J. Schmidt
Serial No. : 09/385,405
Filed : August 30, 1999
For : METHOD FOR THE PURIFICATION AND
RECOVERY OF WASTE GELATIN
Examiner : R. Popovics
Art Unit : 1723
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Washington, D.C. 20231

March 28, 2001

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AMENDMENT IN RESPONSE TO FINAL OFFICE ACTION

Dear Sir:

This is in response to the final Office Action of January 31, 2001. Applicant respectfully requests that the above-identified application be amended as follows.

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please cancel claims 5, 11, 12, 18, 20 and 46-69 without prejudice.

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